PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the State of Oregon recognizes water as a finite resource that is vital to human life; and

WHEREAS, well-maintained green spaces are important to the health and well-being of all communities and individuals; and

WHEREAS, abundant supplies of affordable food and fiber raise the standard of living for all citizens; and

WHEREAS, appropriate irrigation technology, combined with best practices, can significantly improve water-use efficiency and runoff, while achieving greater agricultural yields per acre foot of water used; and

WHEREAS, July is a peak month for the use of water for irrigation.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Randy Sparacino, Mayor of the City of Medford, do hereby proclaim July 2022 as

SMART IRRIGATION MONTH

in the City of Medford and urge all citizens to join us in this observance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand this 7th day of July, 2022.

Randy Sparacino Mayor of Medford